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For Saturday, January 26th, 1895.

(Postponed to Saturday, Feb. 2, on account of the blizzard.)

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| 62-inch half-bleached Table Linen at 39c, regular price | 50c |
| 54-inch bleached " " " 44c, " " | 60c |
| 72-inch unbleached Table Linen, red border, 60c regular price, | 85c |
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| 50-inch Turkey Red Damask, at 19c, " " | 25c |
| 54-inch " " " 25c, " " | 30c |
| 60-inch " " " 35c, " " | 45c |
| 58-inch " " " 42c, " " | 60c |
| One lot unbleached 1/2 Napkins at \$1 per doz., regular price, | \$2.00 |
| Stamped Doilies at 5 cents. | |

Center Pieces, etc., in variety of Patterns and Prices.
Embroideries, Laces and White Goods, all at *Reduced Prices*.
Big Drive in Towels at 12c and 29c each.
A "Flyer" in Boys' Heavy (all-wool) Hose at 23 cts.
The "Florence" Ladies' Button Dongola Shoes at \$1.39 for this sale. See our Ladies' 98c Shoes.
Every day JANUARY REDUCTIONS on Cloaks and Dress Goods.

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Turn this over and Read Carefully.

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| 00 22 | 01 00 25 | PARLOR SUITS |
| 00 05 | 01 02 5 | LOUNGES |
| 00 05 | 01 00 1 | BEDROOM SUITS |
| 00 25 | 01 00 9 | BOOK CASES |
| 00 11 | 01 22 7 | BOOK RACKS |
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| 00 11 5 | 01 25 7 | REED CHAIRS |

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Special Attention given to UNDERTAKING. FINEST LINE of CASKETS in the county. Prompt attendance and Satisfaction Guaranteed. Orders may be left at Dyckman House, nights and Sundays.

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Machine Shop,

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

STEAM and HOT WATER,

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To introduce, we are making prices lower than you will ever see again.

Hot-Water for Residences is Perfection! Get our Estimates.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

The two Satchels.
With satchel in hand to Satchell he goes.
For Satchell's the man to clean up your clothes:
The place you will have no trouble to find—
The very best place in town of the kind.
He will do your work good; do your work cheap;
So take your old clothes to North Rose street
Dyeing and Dry Cleaning of Ladies' Dresses, without ripping, a specialty.
114 North Rose st., Kalamazoo.
Leave orders with Will Miller, merchant tailor, Paw Paw. [53]

Broad Gauge Railroad Hack Line.
S. E. Munger has reduced the fare between Paw Paw and Lawton, by the Broad Gauge Hack Line, from 25 cents to 15 cents. Prices will tell. Leave orders at Bullard's store. [2012f]

Passenger Line to Lawton.
John Burns' wagonette—closed vehicle—makes every trip at Lawton. 25 cents. Leave orders at Tyler's drug store or at Burns' livery barn. [65f]

C. A. Critchlow, M. D.
Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence first door north of postoffice. [37f]

Zell L. Baldwin, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon, Lawrence, Mich. Office hours—1 to 4 p. m. Radical cure of Hernias, and diseases of rectum given special attention. [2080f26]

Teachers' Examinations.
Special—Bangor, Feb. 23rd, 1895.
Regular—Paw Paw, Mar. 28 & 29, 1895.
Examinations begin at 8:30 a. m.
Commissioner's office is in the Court House. Office days are the first and third Saturdays and the second and fourth Mondays of each month.
J. A. O'LEARY,
2051] Commissioner of Schools.

W. J. Johnson, V. D., V. S.
Graduate Ontario Veterinary College. Calls promptly attended to. Charges reasonable. Office at Longwell Bros' drug store, Paw Paw, Mich. [2041-f]

Painting, Paper Hanging, Etc.
I am now prepared to execute orders for house and carriage painting, paper hanging, glazing, &c., &c. Shop over Johnson's wagon shop. Leave orders at shop or at Dyckman House.
J. A. LEECH.
361f]

Heckert & Chandler,
Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general law business. Paw Paw, Mich. [78]

Millinery—Mrs. M. L. Odell.
At the busy millinery store on Kalamazoo street, (Grange store), hosts of elegant Fall and Winter goods of all kinds. Agent for the Corticella Filo silks, washing colors—all shades.

Paw Paw Savings Bank.
Capital \$50,000.00. F. W. SELICK, Pres.,
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Dental Parlors.
Painless extraction of teeth by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas.
Single extraction, twenty-five cents.
Special attention given to the preservation of the natural teeth.
Satisfaction guaranteed.
Rooms over Savings Bank, Paw Paw, Mich. 2041f]

Miller, the Fashionable Tailor.
Rooms in Longwell block. Satisfaction guaranteed. Repairing done. [2033f]

F. P. GRIMES,
Real Estate & Insurance Agent,
Paw Paw, Mich.

Several good farms and houses and lots for sale. [2044f]

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Broker. Money loaned. Office opposite the Dyckman House, Paw Paw, Mich. 1388f]

J. D. HAMILTON, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon. Office over the Wolverson Pharmacy. Calls promptly attended to at all hours. [2032f]

Butler's City "Bus Line."
Orders for private houses should be left at the Post Office. We never miss the train. G. E. BUTLER, Prop. 52f]

MONUMENTS: MONUMENTS!!



I. A. WHITMAN, PAW PAW, MICH.
No agents employed. Can save you one-quarter in price. [2040f]

D. Anderson, Jr.,
Attorney and Counselor at Law and Solicitor in Chancery. Special attention given to collections. Office over Paw Paw Savings Bank. [2073f]

THOMAS J. CAVANAUGH,
Lawyer.
Office over First Nat'l Bank, Paw Paw. Money to loan on real estate. [1927]

A good sized, convenient house for rent. Inquire of
J. H. WATERS.
711f]

Dentistry.
J. F. Perry, dentist, will visit Paw Paw every Wednesday. Regulating teeth, and crown and bridge work a specialty. Office with Dr. J. D. Hamilton. [74f]

Poultry Wanted.
I will pay the highest market price in cash for all kinds of Poultry delivered at my place.
C. G. DAVIS,
Paw Paw. 7518f]

Free Consultation.
Dr. A. B. Spinney of Detroit will be at the Dyckman House, Paw Paw, on Tuesday, February 5th. Special attention given to Catarrh, Eye, Ear, Throat and Lung diseases. Also, rectal, uterine and private diseases. [801f]

Your House is on Fire! Are your Valuables Safe?

To be absolutely certain on this point is the duty of every man. The noted Victor Safe is absolutely fire proof. B. W. Hipp is agent for this vicinity. Ask him for particulars. [801f]

Timbered Lands for Sale.
I have 100 acres of timbered lands for sale. Apply to
S. H. JONES,
Paw Paw, Mich. 2080f]

Money to loan on Real Estate.
751f] E. F. PARKS.

Local Department.

Don't miss Wood's lecture.
Miss Eva McCabe is home from Jackson.

Tickets for Wood's lecture, 25 and 35 cents.

Republican county convention at Hartford to-day.

General Eaton came home from Lansing Wednesday.

Elder F. W. Mutchler is spending the week at Buchanan.

The lecture of the season—"Manhood Triumphant"—Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank Tucker at Longwell's opera house Wednesday night, Feb. 6.

The Coterie will meet with Mrs. Guy Chappell, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 6.

Mr. S. H. Jones is enduring the affliction of a felon in the palm of his left hand.

The Farmers' Union club will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Waite, Wednesday, Feb. 6th.

Oddfellows' hall was the scene of a merry Rebekah social Wednesday evening. Supper was served.

The W. F. M. society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Butler on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 5.

The populists of this county will hold a convention at South Haven on Monday next. Don't know what for.

The Van Buren county Sunday school convention will be held at Hartford on Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Three of the deck hands of the ill-fated Chicago—Doc. Brundage, Archie Bentley and Ted. Geering—were from Bangor.

Ocobock Bros. have put up about five hundred tons of ice. This fact will probably be of more interest six months hence than now.

The 7 months old girl baby of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne died last Friday morning. Funeral Sunday, conducted by Rev. Arkwright.

Subject next Sunday next morning at the Methodist church, "Like People Like Priest." Evening subject, "Light the Outpost of Life."

A large party of Methodists and their friends enjoyed a very pleasant social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Young Tuesday evening.

The Benton Harbor Palladium is another excellent and influential paper that has come out squarely in favor of Judge Buck for supreme court justice.

There is no kick coming from those who enjoy "old-fashioned winters." If the present sample is not satisfactory, they had better emigrate to the Arctic regions.

The First Baptist people now have a regular pastor and regular services; their church is lighted by electricity, and they talk strongly of purchasing a bell soon.

Michael Gates, a farmer living five or six miles southwest of this place, was gored by a vicious bull last Friday, sustaining injuries from which it is thought he will not recover.

Wright Tuxbury of Gobleville was here a part of last week collecting taxes. We understood that the boys paid up very promptly, but several "went broke" in so doing.

Next Sunday evening at the Disciple church, there will be a special service under the direction of the three christian endeavor societies of the village, in celebration of "Endeavor Day."

Postmaster Noyes is entitled to the thanks of the community for the pains he took in sending teams to Lawton and Lawrence for our mails, while the narrow gauge was buried in the snow drifts.

The village dads have sat down on the practice of boys "catching on" sleighs and snow-balling in the streets. This action on the part of the authorities will be commended by all—except the boys.

Morgan Wood—Longwell's Tuesday evening.

Watch for the date for the "Belles of Blackville."

Gobleville has a full-fledged horticultural society.

Covenant meeting at Free Baptist church at 2 p. m. to-morrow.

Do you like a good lecture? Then hear Morgan Wood, Tuesday evening.

Regular meeting of Paw Paw Lodge No. 25, F. & A. M., Tuesday evening, Feb. 5. Work.

The Senior Whist club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller Saturday evening, Feb. 2.

The Disciple society held a pleasant social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Shaefer, Tuesday evening.

The Lady Aberdeen club will meet with Harry Douglass Monday evening at his home in Prospect Valley.

Judson Bailey, mine host of the Hotel Columbus at South Haven, says he is going to leave the hotel and the town.

Married, on the 29th ult., by Rev. G. P. Linderman at his residence, Wm. Belville of Lacota and Miss Laura M. Tiffany of Allegan.

The delegates to the county convention at Hartford were obliged to go with teams, because of snow stopping the narrow gauge.

Col. Todd has sent to the superintendent of the poor his resignation as superintendent of the county farm, to take effect on the first of March.

Hon. N. H. Stewart of Kalamazoo has been urged to allow his name to appear as a candidate for the vacant third district congressional seat, but N. H. says "n. g."

Alonso Storey of Kendall was found dead in his sheep shed last Saturday afternoon. He went out to look after his sheep, and not returning a search was made for him with the above result.

Postmaster Noyes received a telegram yesterday morning from the second assistant postmaster general authorizing him to send mail to Lawton and bring mail back from that place twice daily, by teams.

While the terrible storm of last Sunday morning was carrying sore discomfort and suffering to many homes in our midst, it brought sunshine and gladness to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Buckhout, in the way of a girl baby. All well.

Don Haggart and Jimmie Phillips have returned from Berrien county, where they had been engaged for the Falls City Coffee Pot Co. They will not return to that field of labor until the county roads become passable.

Prof. Eugene Bradt went to Detroit to attend the recent Masonic gathering in that city and was taken ill with typhoid fever. His wife, who is at Benton Harbor with a sick child, writes to friends here that Mr. B. is convalescing.

Charles Ocobock, who has lived in Paw Paw for fifty years, says he never before saw snow drifted so badly in this place as it was last Sunday morning, it being piled to a height of seven feet in many places in the western portion of the village.

In the circuit court Monday, James Doyle, charged with assault with intent to murder, pleaded to guilty to assault and battery and was fined \$25, which he paid. All the other criminal cases on the calendar went over the term. The jurors were excused until Monday.

Mails to the northern part of the state must be as uncertain as ours down here. A letter from a valued friend at Petoskey makes bitter complaint because the NORTHERNER doesn't come regularly, and some weeks not at all. We can only say that the papers are mailed from this office regularly every Friday. Further than that we are helpless in the matter.

At the adjourned meeting of the True Northerner Publishing Co. on Tuesday, the following directors were elected: J. W. Osborn, A. J. Mills, S. F. Master, L. H. Titus, M. O. Rowland. The directors elected the following officers: President, J. W. Osborn; vice president, L. H. Titus; secretary, S. F. Master; treasurer, manager and editor, M. O. Rowland.

Another largely attended electric railway meeting was held at the council room last evening, and our people showed themselves wide awake to the importance of procuring such a road. On Tuesday, Mr. R. D. Cunningham, the genial gentleman who was here before with Mr. Glidden, was here again, accompanied by Civil Engineer Granville. They inspected the proposed route and submitted a proposition in writing to the citizens' committee, which was submitted to the meeting. Briefly stated, it was that the Detroit capitalists will build a standard gauge electric road from Lawton to Paw Paw according to the specifications already published and will give passenger and freight rates no higher than those at present paid, if Paw Paw will give to them an exclusive franchise of its streets for 30 years and pay a \$20,000 bonus, one-third when the grading is done, one-third when ties and iron are on the line, and one-third when the road is ready for the rolling stock; a pledge of business to the road for ten years was also asked. Messrs. T. R. Harrison, Thos. Welch, J. W. Free, G. W. Longwell and others gave their ideas, but the impression was general that we might be "paying too dearly for our whistle." As to the method of raising a bonus, the question of whether the township could be bonded was raised. It is probable the legislature will be asked to pass a special act permitting it, but even then the legality would be questionable. The proposition was referred back to the committee, with instructions to correspond with the Detroit parties on a \$10,000 basis. It is probable they will also insist on definite reductions in freight rates. The prospect is yet bright for securing the road.

Mr. F. W. Kingsley of Bloomingdale will commence suit against that township to recover damages for injuries received at a bridge some weeks since. So says the Leader.

The special sales at Sellick's, arranged for last Saturday, were postponed, on account of the blizzard, until to-morrow (Saturday, Feb. 2), when everything goes. An immense stock to select from and prices cut to the quick ought to attract buyers. See their adv.

Judge Buck Monday sentenced Jasper I. Houseknecht, who was convicted at the last term of court of assault with intent to do great bodily harm, to pay a fine of \$200.00 or in default thereof to be confined three months in the county jail. It will be remembered that Houseknecht shot at a boy who was picking huckleberries in a swamp in Pine Grove township, the bullet passing through the lad's hat.

Those of our citizens residing in the vicinity of the corporation windmill on East Main street made bitter complaints of the unearthly sounds emanating from that piece of machinery, averring that its groanings and creakings make sleep impossible and render life in that locality a burden. Are these complaints well founded? If so, will not the village board instruct the marshal to look into the matter and see if a remedy cannot be applied?

Mrs. Frank Tucker, supported by an excellent company, will appear at Longwell's opera house on Wednesday evening of next week, Feb. 6th, in an entertainment for the benefit of her husband, who, it will be remembered, had his leg amputated some time since, and is still confined to his bed. Frank was always a favorite with Paw Paw people, and we are much mistaken if they do not fill the house to its utmost capacity on this occasion.

The customers of Holmes & Bilsborrow, so far as they have expressed themselves on the subject, are most decidedly in favor of the contemplated change in the business matters of that firm. And this approval was to have been expected, for careful buyers are ever on the lookout for a chance to save, and a net pick-up of from 10 to 15 per cent is "not to be sneezed at." They explain themselves very clearly in their adv. which appears on the 5th page of this issue.

On Saturday last, two narrow gauge locomotives and a snow plow plunged into the snow drift that was supposed to extend from this place to South Haven—and they never came back until about seven o'clock last evening. Our people did not mourn so much over the absence of the train as because Supt. England was carried away with it. The "superintendent of telegraph" on the narrow gauge says the train was not lost; other people say it was just this side of Lawrence, headed this way, with the snow plow in the ditch and the engines frozen to the track. Nearly a week for the round trip from Lawton to South Haven is no violation of the railroad commissioner's orders.

A party of seventeen gathered around the table at the home of Lester and Matie Brewer, Wednesday, Jan. 30, to enjoy a picnic of their own in honor of the Olin excursion of four years ago, in which most of the party were participants. A. T. Foote, who added much to the enjoyment of the occasion by producing a paper brimming over with reminiscences of the trip and its varied accompaniments, was requested to furnish the newspapers with a report of this unique celebration, but positively refused to write it up because he was "in it." This modesty was hardly excusable, as the occasion was one that warranted a full report. Cole Rawson, who was present and who has been on the semi-invalid list for a while, declared he was improving every minute.

The report of State Land Commissioner Morse deals quite extensively with farm industries and farm labor for 1894. Of 5,600 male laborers canvassed 37 per cent were American born. The German, English, Canadian and Irish constitute 31 and other nationalities 12 per cent. The average age is 36.6 years and their labor supports 13,136 persons. The average daily wages was 92 cents, a decrease of 13 per cent the last year. The total earnings were \$1,018,388. The savings were reported at \$196,891, distributed among 2,537 persons. Forty per cent report scarcity of work and 60 per cent find no scarcity. Only 1,005 own their own homes and one-half of these are incumbered. An average interest rate of 6 per cent prevails and the average rental is \$2.59 per month. Only 828 belonging to fraternal organizations and only 576 carry life insurance. Three thousand four hundred and sixty-six are of the opinion that immigration injures their occupation, 1,529 say no, and the others are non-committal. The showing is not a gratifying one for the agricultural classes.

At the time we went to press last week, a rumor was current here to the effect that the Chicora had been heard from; that she was under the lee of South Manitou island, with all well on board. But that rumor had no foundation in fact, and the probabilities are that the noble craft, with every soul on board, went to the bottom of Lake Michigan during the fearful storm of Jan. 21. Wreckage has been found strewn along the coast for several miles north of South Haven—the latest being her spars, doors, oars from the life boats, etc., which were found about one mile from shore off Saugatuck Monday. This is the most important as fixing the location of the disaster further north than it was supposed to have occurred. The foremast was found to have been bent away twenty feet below the saddle, which would be just above the main deck, showing that the crew had attempted to save the hull by freeing it from top wreckage. Until the ice clears away in the spring and enables a thorough and systematic search to be made, we shall probably have nothing but conjecture as to the real fate of the ill-starred vessel and her brave crew.